Title: Need for early construction of Rail Mail Service Sorting Office at Nalgonda Railway Station in Andhra Pradesh.

SHRI GUTHA SUKENDER REDDY (NALGONDA): In the year 1998-99, Government had sanctioned for construction of Rail Mail Service sorting office at Nalgonda Railway Station in Andhra Pradesh. The opening of this office is very necessary keeping in view the location of present office at a very far off place. Due to this, transit takes lot of time resulting in delayed delivery off place. Due to this, transit takes lot of time resulting in delayed delivery of dak. Government is being run on maintenance there. Another concerning same Ministry is shortage of revenue stamp at post offices in Nalgonda. People are facing difficulty on this account. Instructions should be issued to make available adequate supply of stamps in Nalgonda. No new post office has been opened in Nalgonda since 1994. As the population of Nalgonda has increased manifold, it is requested that one post office in each municipal ward might be opened.

SHRI K. YERRANNAIDU (SRIKAKULAM): Sir, the hon. Minister of State for Home is here. We would like to have a statement on the Jammu & Kashmir massacre.

MR. CHAIRMAN : On my own I can give the direction but not when matters under Rule 377 are going on.

SHRI K. YERRANNAIDU : Sir, let it be over because 40 people were killed by the militants there.

MR. CHAIRMAN: Would the hon. Minister like to respond?

SHRI SUDIP BANDYOPADHYAY (CALCUTTA NORTH WEST): Sir, the whole nation is shocked...(*Interruptions*)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI): Sir, I will consult the hon. Home Minister and then say anything on this. I cannot say anything off hand now.

MR. CHAIRMAN: The hon. Minister says that he will forward it to the hon. Home Minister.